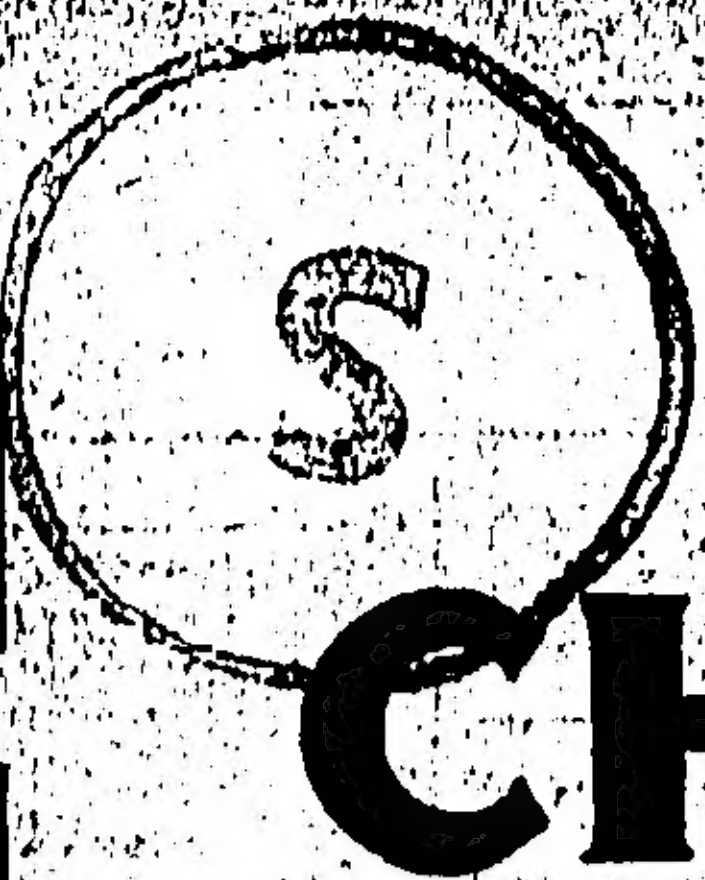
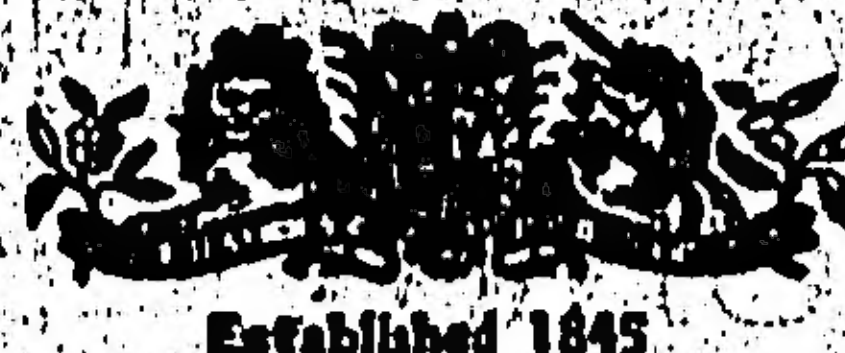


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A New Threat

THE Soviet economic drive into South Asia and the Middle East is a new and important factor in world affairs. But while it would be wrong to underestimate its importance, it would also be a mistake to exaggerate its current weight and effect. Some of its moves have been dramatic—and deliberately so—but viewed against the background of the whole economy of the area it is far less impressive than some of its "highlights" would suggest.

There have been many reports of offers of loans and credits for one purpose or another, including the offer of material, equipment and personnel for the construction of the Aswan Dam in Egypt. Nevertheless, the only tangible provisions made by Russia are half the cost of the new steel-production plant at Bhilai in India and the promise of \$115 million to Afghanistan for its new development programme. This involves Russia to the extent of some \$250 million for capital development in the area.

BY contrast, since the end of the war the United States alone has given economic aid to Near Eastern, South Asian and Pacific countries amounting to over \$15,000 million; under the Colombo Plan, Commonwealth countries outside the area have provided nearly \$2,000 million; additionally the United Kingdom has provided, from private investment and from the release of sterling balances, some \$1,000 million, which, when contrasted with the Soviet Union's \$250 millions, puts the Russian contribution into proper proportion.

It is in the field of trade that Russia, and to a less extent, China, are making their greatest effort. Their attempts to increase exports are, however, much handicapped by the inferior quality of the goods they supply.

The one considerable success the Soviet government has so far achieved in its economic drive has been in bulk purchasing of commodities of which there have been large surpluses that have been difficult to sell. This is especially so in the case of Egyptian cotton and Burmese rice. In the case of Burma, Russia is now taking under barter agreements something like one third of the total rice shipments; in the case of Egypt 25 per cent of her total exports (mainly cotton) now go to the Communist countries. Burma takes payment in the form of largely unwanted Soviet goods; Egypt, evidently in the form of arms. The bargain is not much to the advantage of the peoples of either country.

ON purely economic grounds, the Soviet drive does not appear to have much chance of making appreciable headway or materially changing the economic orientation of the Middle Eastern and South Asian countries.

There does exist, however, the possibility that the Soviet leaders are both ready and able to sacrifice economic advantage to political aspirations. They may be prepared to export equipment which they badly need at home. They may be prepared to sell goods at economically too low prices and to buy goods at economically too high prices in the hope of gaining a stranglehold on the economies of the countries which they aspire to dominate.

To do so would be to hamper their own development, and to impose new heavy burdens on their already overburdened people. This would be a policy full of danger for themselves, but if they should attempt to employ it on any considerable scale then the threatened countries will need to look to their security.

EOKA MEN BLOW UP ARMY TRUCK: THREE DIE

Nicosia, June 12. Three British servicemen were killed and seven others injured by a terrorist mine tonight.

The men were travelling in a military

vehicle near Berengaria, a garrison village on the outskirts of Limassol.

As the truck passed over a small bridge the mine was electrically detonated. The explosion sent parts of the

lorry flying in all directions.

One of the seven wounded soldiers is in a serious condition.

This was the second attack with an electrically-detonated mine in six hours.

The first, also on a bridge, injured a British soldier driving four miles south of Polis, in north-western Cyprus.

As the mined vehicle overturned terrorists

opened fire with automatic weapons from prepared roadside positions.

Troops rushed to the scene, cordoned off the area and began a search for terrorists.

The soldier's injuries were reported not to be serious.

Today's attacks brought the death toll of British servicemen in the terrorist campaign to 38.—Reuter.

KOREA MOVES TROOPS NORTH TO RED BORDER

Seoul, June 12. The Chairman of South Korea's Joint Chiefs of Staff said today the Army was moving more troops to the front line to offset growing Communist strength.

Strong Greek Protest To British Govt

London, June 12. Greece today protested strongly to Britain against the deportation of Archbishop Makarios, Cyprus-born priest in charge of the Greek Church in Camden Town, London.

Archbishop Makarios, who has been in London since 1955, has Greek nationality.

The Greek Embassy stated that the change of Makarios to the head of the Foreign Office's southern department, Mr. Hilary Young, was a "gross violation of the Greek Church's right to elect its own head."

Mr. Basil Mostras, was recalled to Athens following the deportation of Archbishop Makarios from Cyprus last March.

The Home Office today stated that Archbishop Makarios was deported "in the public interest."

—Reuter.

'CANNOT HELP'

Athens, June 12. Commenting on Britain's deportation of Archbishop Makarios, the Greek Foreign Minister, Mr. Evangelos Averof said tonight: "The British Government is continuing acts against the Greek clergy which cannot help in any way the already tense situation."

Docker Opens His Campaign

London, June 12. Millionaire industrialist, Sir Bernard Docker, tonight appealed to shareholders to back him in his dispute with directors of Birmingham Small Arms Company who recently voted him out of his position as Chairman.

Sir Bernard Docker urged shareholders to sign a form requesting the directors to convene a general meeting of the company.

He said in a postscript that he would speak to shareholders on television next Friday.—Reuter.

Churchill Dines With Rainier

Monte Carlo, June 12. Sir Winston Churchill was the guest of honour today at an official luncheon given by Prince Rainier of Monaco and his wife, Princess Grace Patricia, in the Royal Palace here.

This was the first official luncheon given by the Prince and his wife since they returned from their vacation in the Mediterranean last week.

Sir Winston is on holiday at the French Riviera village of Roquebrune Cap Martin.—Reuter.

Rebel Outrage

Gran, June 12. Terrorists have three boxes into a small plane at Gran today.

Eighteen people attending the funeral of a police officer assassinated yesterday were injured. Two of the terrorists were arrested.

—France Press.

'RESTORE AID CUTS' PLEA TO SENATE

Washington, June 12. The administration made an urgent appeal to Senate leaders today to restore the \$1,100 million which the House cut from the foreign aid programme.

General Lee Kyung Keun said the Army's present move to increase its defensive potential was "carefully to shift more troops to the front line."

He said the United Nations Military Command should take the next step by raising the armed strength in South Korea to the 1953 ceasefire level.

The Presidential Assistant, Mr. Sherman Adams made the appeal at a special meeting of Republican and Democratic Senate leaders at the White House. He spoke on behalf of President Eisenhower who was unable to attend because of his operation.

White House Press Secretary Mr. James Hagerty told reporters at the Walter Reed Hospital that the President felt that "support of Nato has been really undercut" by the House vote.

Mr. Hagerty said Mr. Adams urged restoration of the aid funds on behalf of the President "to permit Nato to function as a strong organisation."

HALF BACK

Mr. Adams also informed the Senate of the President's "deep interest" in the entire foreign aid bill as proposed by the Administration.

The Administration had asked for \$4,800 million. This was cut to \$3,800 million by the House before it passed the bill yesterday.

The Administration pinned its hopes of restoring some of the House cut in the Senate. Officials hoped to recover at least half of the \$1,100 million cut.

Before the White House meeting influential Senate Democratic and Republican leaders were considering a move to slash the aid bill and use the money to build more military aircraft.—United Press.

Boy Drowned For 'A Lark'

Montreal, June 12. A 16-year-old youth pushed a younger boy to his death in a river as a "lark," evidence at a coroner's hearing revealed today.

The events that led to the drowning of Yvon Lafance, 14, on Sunday in the turbulent St. Lawrence River were described by David Boychuk, 12.

He said he and Gerald Arden, 10, were cycling along the south shore of the river on Sunday when they saw Lafance and another boy fishing near the bridge.

David said Arden suggested pushing one of them into the water "as a lark."

"I became frightened and said no," David said, "but Gerald went ahead and pushed him (Lafance) anyway. Then we stopped on our bikes and went home."

Lafance's body was found by the police near a culvert.—United Press.

Shepilov Going To Greece

Athens, June 12. Mr. Dmitri Shepilov, Soviet Foreign Minister, will visit Athens and have informal talks with the Greek Prime Minister and Foreign Minister on his way home from a Middle East tour, it was announced today.—Reuter.

Bright Light Fishermen (1956 Style)

Singapore, June 12. Singapore fishermen hope to step up their catches soon with the latest Japanese method of directing fish by a display of red and blue lights and making them by television.

Mr. Goh Chin Chay, managing director of the Chinese River Marine Products Association, said today he expected 40 Japanese boats to come to the Collyer Quay area and of the rest to anchor at



PAUL ROBESON

ROBESON RUNS INTO TROUBLE Using His Voice

Washington, June 12. The Negro singer, Paul Robeson, was today recommended to be cited for contempt of Congress during a furious shouting session with the House Committee on Un-American Activities.

Mr. Robeson was called by the Committee as part of its investigation into the use of American passports by Communists or fellow travellers.

His own passport had been withdrawn because of alleged left-wing activities.

The Committee voted to recommend that Congress cite the singer for contempt after a heated exchange between Mr. Robeson and Mr. Francis Walter (Democrat—Pennsylvania), Chairman of the Committee and other members.

'Felt Human'

During his testimony, Robeson told the Committee that he "felt for the first time like a human being" during a visit to the Soviet Union. Asked why he had not stayed there, Robeson said he had to come back "to fight for his people."

Mr. Walter finally reppped his gavel during a declaration by Mr. Robeson and said the hearing was adjourned.

The recommendation now goes to Congress which has the power to vote the actual citation.

Mr. Robeson told a reporter afterwards "there was no contempt. I answered every question. I was just standing my ground."

He had come to the hearing with a prepared statement declaring that his fight for a passport was "a struggle for freedom." China Mail Special and France Press.

Talks Will Go On

Washington, June 12. The West German Chancellor Dr. Konrad Adenauer, and Mr. John Foster Dulles, the Secretary of State, will confer again tomorrow on international developments, the State Department announced tonight.—Reuter.

REBELLIOUS GENERAL IS EXECUTED

Buenos Aires, June 12. General Juan Jose Valle was executed by firing squad today for leading a revolt against the Argentine Government of President Aramburu, according to unconfirmed reports.

General Valle was captured in a flat in the capital early this morning.

The Argentine Government had announced today that it would end executions for complicity in the week-end uprising as from midnight tonight.

The execution of General Valle took place at 5 p.m. (local time).

Manhunt Begins

As the execution of General Valle was reported, a spectacular manhunt began in the fashionable northern district of Buenos Aires.

Hundreds of men of the security forces searched for General Valle, Valle's chief lieutenant.

While apartments were being searched, police and frontier guards cordoned off the approaches to embassies and legations to prevent General Valle, taking sanctuary, under a foreign flag.

Gen. Valle was wanted by a military court and vanished weeks before the counter-revolutionary coup broke last week-end.—Reuter.

Leaflets On Nanking

Taipei, June 12. Nationalist air force planes today staged a pre-dawn raid on Nanking, the former capital city, the nationalist air force announced tonight. Millions of anti-Communist leaflets were dropped.—Reuter.

LANDSLIDE TRAGEDY

Six Children Die

New York, June 12. Six children were killed today when they were buried under tons of earth while playing in a 25-foot-deep excavation.

Police and volunteers dug frantically for another child believed trapped. An eighth child was in a serious condition after being rescued.

The Police said all of the dead were suffocated.

The children apparently had been digging a cave in the side of the half-block Brooklyn-Queens Expressway, when about 25 tons of earth slid down and trapped them.

Frantic Mothers

Thousands of people, including frantic mothers whose children had been out playing, lined the sides of the excavation while rescuers dug out the children.

The police said one little girl escaped as the loose earth slid down.

A motorist, George Koller, who heard screams coming from the excavation, dug out a nine-year-old boy with the aid of two passersby. The other children were pulled out by police and firemen about 20 minutes later.—United Press.

Against Seato

Singapore, June 12. Dr. Toh Chin Chye, Chairman of the left-wing People's Action Party, said Singapore should not join the Southeast Asia Treaty Organisation, a Singapore newspaper said today.—Reuter.

HK BOOK BANNED IN MALAYA

Kuala Lumpur, June 12. The Malayan Government has banned two Chinese books, an announcement said today.

The books are "Spring hidden in tiger's lair," published in Macao, and "The prohibitive

Eisenhower Continues To Improve

Washington, June 12. President Eisenhower has had another good day on the way to recovery from his operation for a diseased intestine, his doctors announced tonight.

The announcement came after Mr. Eisenhower had tackled his busiest day since he was stricken on Friday morning, signing four official papers and two secret documents dealing with diplomacy and national security.

Mr. Eisenhower's recovery, his spokesman, Mr. James Hagerty, announced at a Press conference, had not been complicated by any manifestations of heart trouble.

Tonight's medical bulletin, signed by Dr. Leonard Hayton, who performed the operation, and two other doctors, said in full: "The President's condition continues to be satisfactory."

"His pulse, blood pressure, temperature and respiration remain stable and essentially normal."

NO WALKS

"He rested throughout the afternoon, sleeping at intervals."

"The President did not engage in his walking exercises this afternoon and the doctors did not awaken him, preferring to let him sleep without interruption."

"He may take this exercise later in the day."

"The President has had another good day on the way to recovery from his operation."

Mr. Eisenhower is still being treated intravenously with glucose. Alas he still has a drainage tube leading through his nose to his stomach to carry off secretions and gases as his operation heals.

Mr. Hagerty parried all questions about the President's intention of campaigning for the Republican Presidential nomination in November. Mr. Hagerty repeated the answer he had given to earlier questions on this matter, that his only consideration was getting the President fit enough to leave hospital.—Reuter.

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CAMBODIAN PRINCE'S ANSWER TO COMMUNIST DOUBTS VISITS RED CAPITALS

Paris, June 12.
Prince Norodom Sihanouk of Cambodia said in an interview published here today that he was visiting Communist capitals in order to answer Communist doubts about Cambodia and the Southeast Asia Treaty Organisation (SEATO).

Answering questions, the Prince told the Paris evening newspaper, *Le Monde*, "the integration of Cambodia in the protection zone of SEATO... which we had not asked for... aroused distrust about us in the Communist countries which feared seeing Cambodian territory transformed into a base for aggression."

The Prince is on a European tour. He left Paris for Stockholm today.

No Agreement
He told *Le Monde*, "During the Bandung conference Mr. Chou En-lai, Chinese Premier, asked me during a long talk what was this military agreement which bound us to the United States."

"I was able to show him that we had not signed any part of this kind and it was not Cambodia which had asked for the protection of SEATO."

"In addition, all our military instructors belong to the French mission."

"Nevertheless, there still existed on the Communist side a doubt which can be expressed thus:

- 1. If Cambodia is really neutral, why does she accept only Western aid?
- 2. Why does she agree to be protected by SEATO, an aggressive pact?

"It was to answer these two questions that I visited Peking and concluded an economic aid agreement with China."

Equal Aid
"That is also why I agreed to visit Warsaw and Moscow."

"From now on we are receiving equal aid from the Communist countries and the Western countries."

"Moreover, I have declared publicly in Tokyo and Manila that we are ready to renounce being included in the protection zone of SEATO."

"Our policy is that of the professed hand to all countries, provided that they show respect for our neutrality."

"I find that Cambodia is getting on well since we have been living on good terms with both sides."

Asked how he envisaged relations between Cambodia and the two zones of Vietnam, the Prince said, "I consider that Cambodia does not have to choose between the North and the South. To have diplomatic representation either in Hanoi or Saigon would be to prejudice the future settlement of the Vietnam problem."

A Danger
Prince Sihanouk said Cambodian neutrality, which was comparable to that of India, was for them "an obligatory consequence of the Indo-China War."

"After the Geneva agreements the military elements of Vietnam which had penetrated into Cambodia territory withdrew, but left behind them populations strongly worked on, which formed a danger of internal subversion and which we had to take into account," he said. — *Reuters*.

London, June 12.
The delegation of the Japanese Committee for the Solidarity of Asian Countries today left Moscow by air for Peking after a three weeks stay in the Soviet Union, the Soviet news agency Tass reported. — *Reuters*.

Flying Deck Chair



Latest thing in motorcycles is pictured here—the "Flying Deckchair", produced by the NSU Company of Munich. Novel feature of the machine are the "landing flaps" through which the rider stretched his legs to keep balance while the machine is standing still. The "Deckchair" has an outstanding economy performance—it will travel 63 miles on 1.2 litres of petrol. Top speed is 81 mph. In picture the German motorcyclist H. P. Mueller tries out the "landing flaps" before starting off on a trial run.—*Express Photo*.

Radioactive Fall-Out Having Little Effect On Human Race

London, June 12.
The British Medical Research Council today said that even if atomic and thermo-nuclear explosions continued at their present rate for a century, the effect on individuals and on human reproduction would be insignificant.

The Council was reporting to the Government on radioactivity effects.

Nevertheless, the report drew the Government's attention to the danger of radioactive fallout. It said: "Account must be taken, however, of certain constituents of fall-out which retain their radioactivity for long periods and which are deposited on the ground where they may contaminate drinking water or agricultural crops."

Concentration
"The most important of these is strontium 90 which, if ingested in concentrated form where, if present in sufficient quantities, it may give rise to destructive changes, including cancer."

The Committee concluded that "at its present level, no detectable increase in the incidence of ill-effects is to be expected."

It went on to say that the maximum permissible concentration allowed for those who might have to deal with this substance was 1,000 units.

The report continued: "For the general population, however, the Committee is of the opinion that the allowance should not exceed 100 units and that immediate consideration would be required if the level showed signs of rising greatly beyond 10 units."

Likely To Come
"At present, measurements in this country showed that the highest concentration in bone is about one unit, and calculation of the fall-out likely to come, if the present rate of firing continues, suggests that

this level may be increased ten-fold in the course of several decades." — *France Press*.



BADER GOING TO DENMARK

Copenhagen, June 12.
Group Captain Douglas Bader, the famous legless fighter ace, has accepted an invitation to lecture in Copenhagen later this summer, the Royal Danish Aero Club announced.

The lecture is in connection with celebrations in Denmark this year of the 50th anniversary of the first aeroplane flight by the Danish aviation pioneer, Jacob Ellehammer.—*China Mail Special*.

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5.15 " 8.30 "	Added: Prince of Palms	(Hongkong)
7.20 " 9.30 "	Surprise	(S'pore/Malaya)
	Slamet Tinggal Kekasihku	(Japan)
	Added: Sakura Trunk	
	Life	
9.30 " 8.30 "	Speed King (English Subtitles)	(Japan)
	Added: Tadami River	(Japan)

TO-MORROW, JUNE 14th

Queen's Alhambra	Films	(Philippines)
2.30 p.m. 7.30 p.m.	Lupang Kalayaan	
5.15 " 8.30 "	The Lost Continent (color)	
7.20 " 9.30 "	(English Dialogue)	(Italian Guest Entry)
	The Brothers (color)	(Taiwan)
	Dawn At High Sea	
	Added: Agriculture in Taiwan	(Taiwan)

FRIDAY, JUNE 15th

Queen's Alhambra	Films	(Japan)
2.30 p.m. 7.30 p.m.	Minamoto Yoshitane (English Subtitles)	(Hongkong)
5.15 " 8.30 "	The Long Lane	(Italian Guest Entry)
7.20 " 9.30 "	Lo Star	(Taiwan)
	Thine Forever (color)	(Thailand)

SATURDAY, JUNE 16th

Queen's Alhambra	Films	(Philippines)
2.30 p.m. 7.30 p.m.	Deidara Huda	
5.15 " 8.30 "	Added: Valley of Hope	(S'pore/Malaya)
7.20 " 9.30 "	Lo Shee—The Angel	(Taiwan)
	The Floating Clouds (English Subtitles)	(Japan)
	French Can-Can (color)	(French Guest Entry)

SUNDAY, JUNE 17th

Queen's Alhambra	Films	(Japan)
2.30 p.m. 7.30 p.m.	Warning From Space (color)—English Subtitles	
5.15 " 8.30 "	The Red Balloon (color) (French Guest Entry)	(Philippines)
7.20 " 9.30 "	Philippine Rhapsody (color)	(S'pore/Malaya)
	Timeless Temiar (color)	(Japan)
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In Mid-Atlantic the bidding mounts...and so does the danger

JAMES BOND, secret service agent trying to break a diamond-smuggling gang, has killed the American boss, Seraphino Spang. He escapes from the gang's headquarters in the Arizona desert with beautiful Tiffany Case. His task now is to link the American end of the pipeline with the mysterious Rufus B. Saye, of the House of Diamonds in London's Hatton Garden.

JUST 10 hours after leaving Los Angeles they roared over La Guardia and turned out at sea for the long run in.

It was eight o'clock on Sunday morning and there were few people about at the airport, but an official stopped them as they were walking in off the tarmac and led them to a side entrance where there were two young men waiting, one from Pinkertons and one from the State Department.

While they talked about the flight, their luggage was brought round and they were taken to a side door and out to where a smart maroon Pontiac was waiting, its engine purring and the blinds in the rear pulled down.

AND then there were some empty hours in the apartment belonging to the Pinkerton man until, at around four in the afternoon, but with a quarter of an hour between them, they were climbing up the covered gangway into the great safe, black British belly of the Queen Elizabeth, and were at last in their cabins on M deck with their doors locked against the world.

But, as first Tiffany Case and then James Bond went into the mouth of the gangway, a dock-hand from Anastasia's Longshoremen's Union had walked swiftly to a phone booth in the Customs shed.

And three hours later two American business men were dropped at the docks by a black sedan and were just in time to get through Immigration and Customs and up the

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Chapter Ten

gangway before the loud-speakers began calling for all visitors to leave the ship please.

And one of the business men was youngish, with a pretty face and a glimpse of prematurely white hair under the slicked-back hair of the briefcase he was carrying was B. Kitteridge.

And the other was a big, fatish man with a nervous glare in the small eyes behind the bifocals and he was sweating profusely and constantly wiping his face round with a big handkerchief.

And the name on the label of his grip was W. Winter, and below the name, in red ink, was written: "My blood group is F."

As the Queen Elizabeth loomed easily along the broad Atlantic swell and the soft right wind thrummed and moaned in the masthead, the radio aural was already transmitting the name of the duty operator to the listening ear of Portishead.

And what the duty operator was sending at exactly 10 p.m. Eastern Standard Time, was

a cable addressed: A B C, CARE HOUSE OF DIAMONDS, HATTON GARDEN, LONDON, which said: PARTIES LOCATED STOP IF MATTER REQUIRES DRASTIC SOLUTION ESSENTIAL YOU STATE PRICE PAYABLE IN DOLLARS. The signature was WINTER.

An hour later Portishead radio was sending a short cable addressed: WINTER FIRST CLASS PASSENGER QUEEN ELIZABETH, which said: DESIRE TIDY SPEEDY CONCLUSION OF CASE REPEAT CASE STOP WILL PAY PERSONALLY HANDLE OTHER SUBJECT ON ARRIVAL LONDON CONFIRM A B C.

And the operator looked up Winter in the passenger list and put the message in an envelope and sent it down to a cabin on A deck, the deck below Bond and the girl, where two men were playing gin-rummy in their shirt-sleeves, and the steward left the cabin he heard the man say cryptically to the man with white hair, "Whiddya know, Bootful? It's 20 grand for a rub these days. Boy-on-boy."

Bond and Tiffany, after keeping to their cabins for some time, eventually got to the smoking-room, where passengers are about to gamble on the ship's daily run.

THE auctioneer, a punky, jovial Midlands businessman with a red carnation in the buttonhole of his dinner jacket, rapped on his table for silence and announced that the captain's estimate of the next day's run lay between 720 and 730 miles, that any distance shorter he said triumphantly, "This is really splendid. Three hundred pounds I am bid by the charming lady in the beautiful pink evening dress." (Heads turned and craned and Bond could see and mouth saying, "Who is she?") "And now, sir," he turned towards the fat man's table. "May I say £325?"

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TOMORROW:
Death is so Permanent



DRAWING BY ROBB

hair. The soft brown eyes under the long lashes. The general effect of prettiness, spoiled by the fleshy nose over the wide, thin mouth, now open in a square empty smile like the grin of a letter-box.

"Two hundred and fifty," said the big man mechanically.

Bond turned to Tiffany. "Ever see those two before?"

"Nope," she said definitely. "Never did. Look like something from Brooklyn to me. Or a couple of cloak-and-suiters from the German District."

Why? Mean anything to you?" Bond gave them another glance. "No," he said doubtfully. "No, I don't think so."

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THE LETTERS OF NIKKI

CONTINUING THOSE HISTORIC DOCUMENTS TO WHICH GILES HAS ACQUIRED THE EXCLUSIVE RIGHTS . . .



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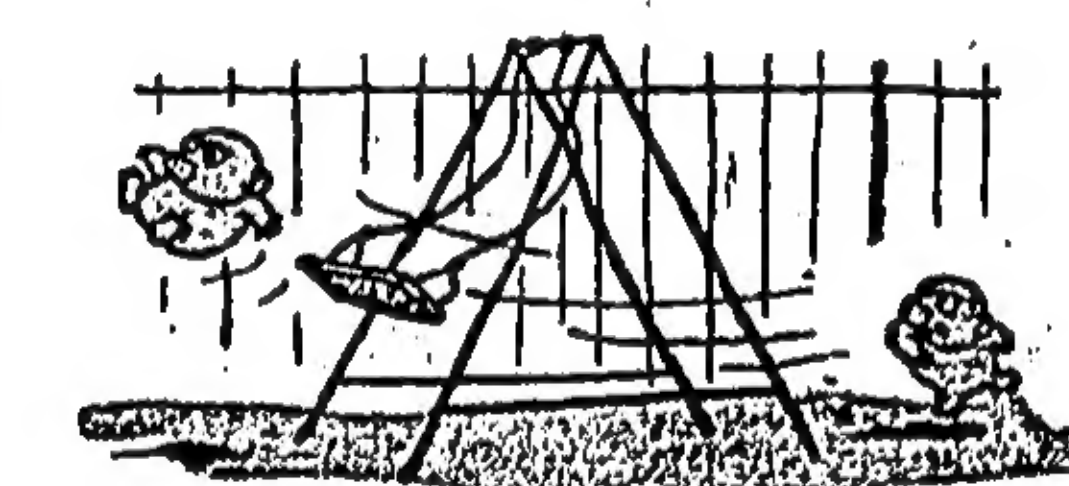
JUST a few more lines to let you know that since my last letter telling you what a wonderful place England is I've changed my mind.

I hope this reaches you in time to stop you, Bruinvitch, Rupertvitch, and sister Olgavitch emigrating from Siberia to Regent's Park as this is no safe place for respectable comrade bears to be.

Apart from free-lance frogmen spying under Bulgannin's boat, the whole zoo is alive with spies and reactionary forces combined to sabotage the peaceful co-existence between U.S.S.R. and Regent's Park.

Only the other day top-comrade Pollitt has been placed on the transfer list, and I myself am just recovering from an attempt to remove me from my high office by a Fascist beast who tried to polish me off with an over-ripe banana.

But don't worry about me, Comrade Mum, they won't get away with that one again. Every time my keeper brings my meals - I try them out first on my



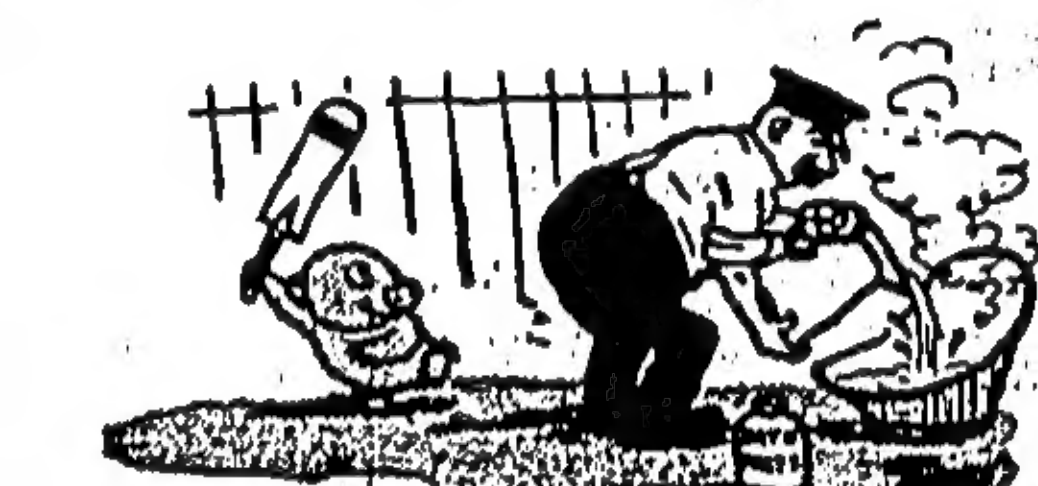
stablemate Rusk, who they put in with me under the cloak of friendship and who I now suspect is nothing but a frog-man disguised as a little bear.

I first had my suspicions about him when he eluded me one from behind and knocked me for six off my swing. I now keep that son of a Ruskoavitch in front of me where I can see him.

They haven't let me go to Windsor Castle any more since I wrote to you, and I hear that Susan the Corgi, who lodges there, was given a brain-washing after my visit. Not that there was any-

thing that I could teach her. In fact, as I told you before, it was she who taught me a thing or two - like biting Guardsmen's ankles - for instance.

I think Mele-Kush, the Cossack stallion that was given to comrade Duke of Edinburgh by comrades Bulgannin and Krushchev, must have been over the castle recently and taken a lesson from



Susan, because I read in Sunday's paper that he took a nip at one of his grooms. Well done, Mele-Kush.

I am now waiting to hear that Zamon, the other horse which was given to Prince Charles, has got cracking on his grooms with those hind feet of his.

I will close now as the head keeper is running my bath with his back towards me within easy swiping distance.

We'll teach 'em a few normal courtesies before we've finished.

Your loving son,

nikki.

P.S. Is it true that Moscow has announced that Mele-Kush's nip at his groom took place "without official permission" of the Kremlin?

P.P.S. Pravda certainly gave that Gaitskell feller the old what-o, didn't they?

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MONOTONOUSLY the man's voice called the 170. "Eighty," said someone. "Two hundred pounds."

Something made Bond turn round and look at the man who had spoken.

He was a biggest man. His face and the glowering, partly appearance of a spook-out bullseye. Small, cold, dark eyes were looking towards the auctioneer's platform through monotonous bi-focals.

"Two hundred and ten," said someone. The big man's chin wobbled and he opened his tight-lipped mouth and said: "Two hundred and twenty" in a level American voice.

What was there about this man that struck a chord in Bond's memory? He watched the big face, running his mind's eye over the linking system of his brain, hunting for the clue.

Bond gave up and turned his attention to the other man at the table. (Again, the same urgent sense of recognition. The curious delicate young features under the blacked-back white

FRIEND O' MINE is sitting beside me on the seat opposite the Sea Nest discussing holidays.

He thinks I need a quiet holiday far from what he so originally calls "the madding crowd," although where I live there are no madding crowds except in August when the place is invaded by half-mad visitors and their completely mad dogs.

"What about a fishing holiday, old man?" he asks. "There's nothing like fishing for peace of mind."

I tell him he may be right but what's the use of peace in your mind if there's turmoil in your stomach in a heavy swell?

He then suggests cycling, hiking, bird watching and even badger watching.

I tell him that I always fall off bicycles, have flat feet, and can see no fun in setting up all night trying to get the private lives of badgers and badgers.

"Perhaps you need a change of scenery abroad," says Friend O' Mine, "if you don't like fishing. Finland he has read about. There," he says, "you can wander through untamed forests and be alone with Mother Nature."

I recall the frightening experience of a man I knew who stayed at an hotel in Helsinki. He rang for a bath and Mother Nature appeared in the form of two enormous women who word, stripped off his pyjamas and carried him howling to a steam bath where they took turns to beat the hell out of him with pine branches.

"Well, old man," says Friend O' Mine, "if you don't like fishing, cycling, hiking or the idea of going to Finland, I don't know what to suggest. It's certainly a long way to go for a bath."

I say: "A long way to go for a bathing bath."

Highway Code

FOR those who are fully qualified to take a motor holiday, here is your Uncle Nat's Highway Code based on personal experience.

If you want to know what they have been waiting for, it's for you.

Zebra Crossings: You must give way to pedestrians at zebra crossings not controlled by the police.

This rule includes pedestrians who can't make up their minds and women who stop in the middle of a crossing to find something in their handbags.

It also includes groups of people who gossip under the beacons.

It just means animals such as horses, sheep, cows, and even elephants if you meet a driving circus.

You must give way to all animals, particularly elephants, but if you think you see a herd of purple unicorns, ahead you must not only give way to them, it would be better to give up driving altogether.

(With apologies to the Highway Code)

JACOBY ON BRIDGE

Bridge Luck Is Often Deserved

By OSWALD JACOBY

I HAVEN'T heard from Hard Luck Joe for quite a while, but we can't resist relating one of his misadventures on Friday the Thirteenth.

Joe told the bidding of today's hand and asked what opening lead was demanded by the double. He had the East hand.

"Spade," we told him, unhesitatingly.

"Thank you," said Joe, with feeling. "See how unlucky I was. My partner didn't have a spade, so he couldn't lead one. Still, everything would have been all right if my partner had led a diamond or a club. The heart lead gave declarer a finesse he couldn't take for himself, and this was his thirteenth trick."

"Very unlucky," we sympathized.

Joe wandered off looking for another sympathetic ear. Meanwhile we did a little mental

NORTH (D) 13			
AKQJ974			
None			
A7			
AKQ93			
WEST			
None			
J109853			
Q83			
10852			
EAST			
AQ2			
K8742			
105			
764			
SOUTH			
10853			
AQ			
KQJ642			
J			
Both sides vul.			
North	East	South	West
2	Pass	3	Pass
4	Pass	0	Pass
7	Double	7 N.T.	Pass
Pass	Double	Pass	Pass
Opening lead—♥ J			

arithmetic. South had scored 2,400 for making the doubled grand slam in no-trump. Joe could have scored 100 points for beating seven spades one trick if he had simply passed instead of doubling. The double cost his partnership 2,500 points apiece.

A player who makes doubles of this kind doesn't have to wait for Friday the Thirteenth to find an unlucky day.

♥ CARD SENSE ♦

Q—The bidding has been:
North East South West
1 Heart 2 Clubs 2 Dms. Pass
2 Hearts Pass
You, South, hold:
A73 ♥KJ62 ♦AK853 ♣84
What do you do?
A—Bid four hearts. You can afford to bid the same yourself, even with an aggressive partner. If he is interested in a slam, your strength is exactly where you have promised it.

TODAY'S QUESTION
The bidding is the same as in the question just answered. You, South, hold:
AK73 ♥982 ♦AKJ853 ♣4
What do you do?
Answer Tomorrow

YOUR BIRTHDAY... By STELLA

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 13

BORN today, you are one of those clever, versatile individuals who have many talents. You have a fine singing as well as a good speaking voice. You men will most probably like to go to the cinema, more likely to the stage. You also have the gift of being able to use the dramatic, written word and if you select a literary career, you should find success. You have a keen sense of humour and are witty, both in conversation and in your writing. You have a sharp sense of analysis and can go straight to the heart of the matter.

You have a magnetic personality and one which attracts people to you. It is likely, however, that you are rather shy by nature and will need to develop a stage presence as well as the ability to meet people in public, before making a complete success of your career. Learning to meet your public may be one of the hardest lessons you will have to learn. But once you have conquered

it, then nothing should stand in your way of progress.

You have considerable personal courage and a pride that never lets you admit defeat to yourself. No matter what others do or say, you will remain true to your hope, dreams and ideals. You will have an inner life that very few know about and the satisfaction of knowing that you have done your best, even if you never meet with fame.

Among those born on this date are: General Winfield Scott, U.S.A.; William Butler Yeats, Mary L. B. Branch, poet; Mark Van Doren, poet and critic; Leonora Spencer Singer; Adolph Neumann, musician; Bruno Frank, author and Frederick W. Rick, composer.

THURSDAY, JUNE 14

GRANDI (May 22-June 21)—A fine shopping day, especially for you of the female sex who are looking for real bargains.

CANCER (June 21-July 21)—Cultural and intellectual activities are highly favoured just now. Break the work week, perhaps, with a movie this evening.

LEO (July 21-Aug. 21)—If you are mechanically-minded, then you may find that you have discovered a fine idea to develop on the job.

LIBRA (Sept. 21-Oct. 21)—Is conservative today. Act only upon facts and test them carefully before making any important judgment.

SCORPIO (Oct. 21-Nov. 21)—Remember to be just at this time. They can bring great happiness.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 21-Dec. 21)—Make your plans carefully, for there is a lot to be gained from opportunity offered to you now.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 21-Jan. 20)—You may find that details work is annoying—but very necessary, just the same. Take care of it.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21-Feb. 19)—Your job may show signs of being boring. Might take time to look at a new one offered to you.

PISCES (Feb. 19-Mar. 21)—Your family can be the source of much happiness to you at this time. Pleasant surprises are in store.

ARIES (Mar. 21-Apr. 20)—Take good care of your health, for that is an important factor in making your objectives these days.

Taurus (Apr. 21-May 21)—This is a good time for business, especially if you are changing your major investments.

This Funny World



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BY THE WAY... by Beachcomber

IT has been suggested that there should be one-way traffic on main roads to the sea.

As soon as one long column of cars had arrived as close to the sea as possible, they would turn back. Then those in the rear would now be in front, which is really fair. The whole column would be diverted to secondary roads, thus leaving the main roads clear for another jam facing southwards. An alternative suggestion is to put all coast-bound cars on an enormous moving platform, which would be fed with cars all day and all night, a kind of circular conveyor belt which would bring the cars to the coast and back again without any stop.

Grocer's niece bitten by camel

"ANY food," says an article on cookery, "can become monotonous by repetition, however unimportant or exotic it may be." That is exactly what the sword-swallower said to his mother when she rounded on him for taking a job in a carpet-beating establishment. She,

dear thing, saw him as the little lad who had begun with short daggers, gone on to stilettos, and finally—oh, proud and happy day!—had put on full manhood and dealt with a cavalry sabre.

Low life above stairs

ON being introduced to an enormous person, never say, "How does all of you do?" Similarly, on being introduced to a very thin person, never say, "How does what there is of you do?"

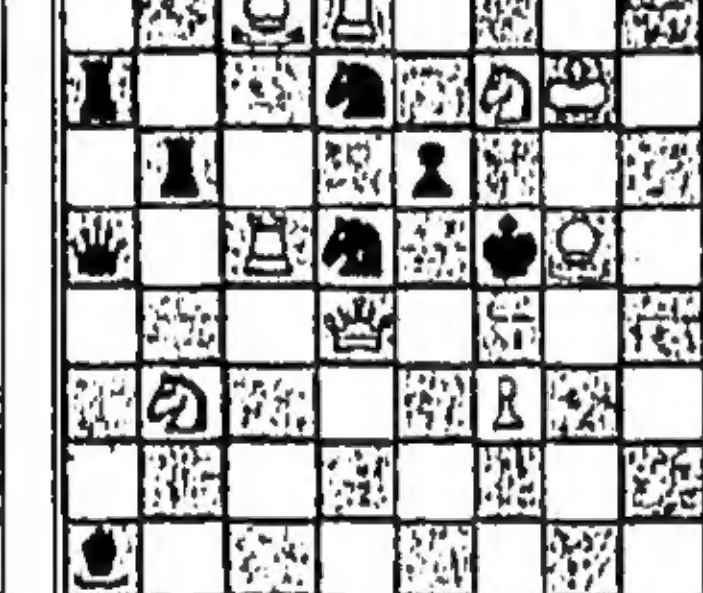
A pardonable error

OFFICIALS reported that a farmer who had been combed to plough one of his fields had not done so. The report mentioned that as many as 15 horses had been seen sowing in the field. The farmer pointed out that the field was used as pasture for his cattle, and a chief inspector with a diploma for agriculture was sent to investigate. He reported that the cows, 15 in number, had been mistaken for horses by a member of one of the committees. But the order to plough was reiterated.

CHESS PROBLEM

By V. C. SANTOS

Black, 8 pieces.



White, 9 pieces.
White to play; mate in two.
Solution to yesterday's problem:
1. P×P, any; 2. Q, R, B, or Kt mates.

BOYS' AND GIRLS' MAGAZINE

The Night Watchman

—Knarf Is Busy While Everyone Is Asleep—

By MAX TRELL

"KNARF! Where have you been all this time!" General Tin, the Tin Soldier, said.

It was almost midnight. Everyone in the house was fast asleep.

Knarf waited until General Tin asked for the second time: "Well, where have you been all this time?"

Then Knarf said: "I was pretending to be a night watchman."

"A night watchman!" General Tin said. "Why were you pretending to be a night watchman? And where?"

While Everyone Slept

"Right in this house," replied Knarf. "Every house has to have a night watchman, to watch while everyone else is sleeping."

"Well," said General Tin, "just tell me, what did you see while you were pretending to be a night watchman?"

"I saw a lot of things. I walked all through the house," said Knarf, "from the cellar to the roof. I made sure that everything was as it should be—that nothing was wrong."

General Tin asked if he had found anything wrong.

"Oh, yes. I went into the room where the geranium stands in front of the window," said Knarf. "I found it didn't like standing in front of the window at night on account of the cold wind that came in!"

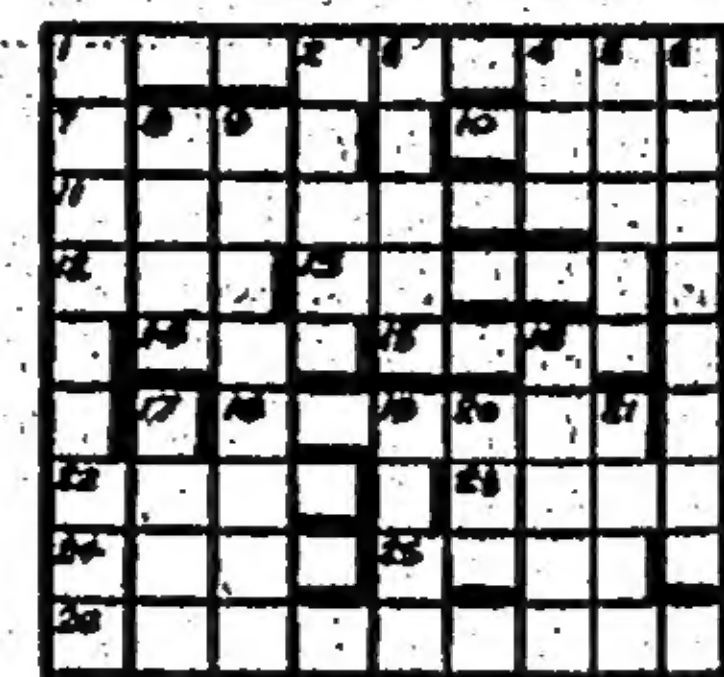
Out Of The Wind

"Oh," said General Tin, "that's too bad. I suppose the cold wasn't any too good for its leaves. That must be the reason why so many of them have been turning yellow this winter."

"What did you do?"

"I called the cat," said Knarf, smiling. "We both got it down off the table, out of the wind."

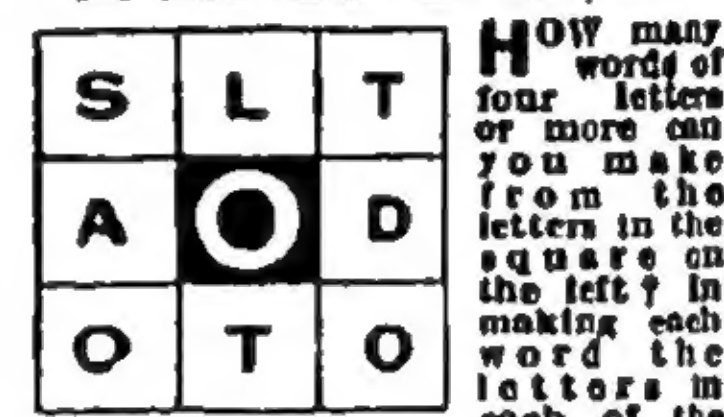
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WOMANSENSE

AUTUMN FASHIONS DISPLAYED IN LONDON



London's really been buzzing fashion-wise these days, and pictured above are four items that have been on display recently.

From left to right: "Dark Horse", a new skirt style by Digby Morton. Made for general distribution next autumn, it is in grey two-toned striped flannel, with matching belt and scarf. Next, a playmate in printed cotton corduroy with light pants and matching top; the cuffs and roll collar are in white ribbed wool. Next, a jumper suit in navy wool boucle with ribbon slotted through at the hips and a matching cap of corduroy. Extreme right: fawn woollen jersey suit with draped hips, topped with an outsize mushroom hat in tan melusine. — Express.

YOU CAN'T POSTPONE YOUR GROOMING CHORES

By JEANNE D'ARCY

SHE who hesitates is lost, if you'll pardon our paraphrasing an old saw to make a beauty point.

What we're thinking about are those little beauty duties you women tend to postpone. You've all done it at one time or another.

For example, there's the matter of setting hair.

"I'm just too tired," you mutter. "It'll look all right tomorrow."

Then there's the matter of a manicure, a weekly must. Let it slide by, and nails get chipped.

Are they noticed? You bet they are! Chipped or not, polish is bright enough to catch the eye. If it's going to be an eye-catcher, it should be smooth and lovely.

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COLD BUFFET SUPPER

Bacon and Egg Pie

Line a sandwich tin with short pastry. Chop roughly, about 1/4 lb. of bacon to cover the base of the pie. Beat together 2 large eggs and 1/2 pint of milk and season to taste. Pour the egg and milk mixture over the bacon, top with grated cheese and bake in a moderate oven until set. Allow to cool before serving.

Potato Salad

Boil 6 or 7 medium-sized potatoes in their skins and peel while hot. Dice the potatoes and add 3 chopped hard-boiled eggs, 1/2 cup of celery, chopped fine, 2 small onions minced, 1/2 cup of cucumber, diced and one tablespoon of celery seed. Mix well in a bowl and allow to stand for an hour. Then add a dressing of mayonnaise.

Jellied Tomato Salad

Boil 1 sliced onion gently for 10 mins. in 2 cups of tomato juice. Add 1 teaspoon sugar, salt and pepper to taste. Strain and stir in 2 tablespoons of gelatine which has been soaked in 1/2 cup of cold water for a few minutes. Pour into individual moulds. Chill and serve on lettuce with mayonnaise.

Moulded Cucumber Salad

Add to 3 cups of grated cucumber, 4 tablespoons vinegar, 3 tablespoons cooking oil and salt and pepper to taste. Heat in a double boiler but do not boil. Soak 6 tablespoons gelatine in cold water, add to the mixture and stir thoroughly. Turn into individual moulds. Chill and serve on lettuce with mayonnaise.

Peach Milk Sherbet

Mix together 1 1/2 cups of mashed peaches and 1/2 cup of sugar and stir until the sugar is dissolved. Whip 1 tin evaporated milk, add 2 tablespoons of lemon juice and fold in the peaches. Pour into freezing trays and freeze quickly.

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FIRST TEST

JIM BURKE THE MAINSTAY OF AUSTRALIA'S DEFENCE IN DRAWN MATCH

Nottingham, June 12.

Australia's batsmen, defying England's spinners, forced a draw in the First Test here today.

Declining a challenge to make 258 in four hours for victory, they defended stubbornly on a pitch which gave the England attack no great help and finished 137 runs behind with 3 wickets down.

Final scores were:
England 217 for eight declared and 188 for three declared.
Australia 148 and 120 for three.

Mainstay of Australia's defence was opening batsman Jim Burke, 20 today, who battled all through the innings for 58 not out—runs which did not reflect the full value of his innings in keeping England at bay.

He found a valuable fourth wicket partner in 23-year-old Queensland Peter Burge, who stayed just over two hours with him, made 35 not out and helped in an unfinished stand of 70. As far as Australia were concerned, runs were secondary to retaining wickets.

SECOND INNINGS

Earlier, England, held up for 78 minutes because of previous heavy rain, assumed their second innings 45 minutes before lunch, and at the interval, when they declared, had added 58 to the overnight 129 for no wicket.

Three wickets fell quickly as they chased the runs.
Colin Cowdrey was out for 81, including a 5 and 7 fours.

Services' Golf

Twenty-seven competitors participated in the Combined Services monthly golf meeting bogey competition over the new course at Farningham on Wednesday, June 7. Late starters had to combat adverse weather conditions which waterlogged many greens.

The leading returns of 3 down were made by Capt. T.M.C. Thornton (2/7 Gorkhas) and Capt. D.A. Kennedy (RE). Capt. Thornton was declared the winner by reason of a better last 6 holes.

They were closely followed by Major W. Tee (1/10 Gorkhas) and Capt. D.J.W. Lampard (27 HAA) each being 4 down. Other returns were:

Major T. Griffiths 5 down
2/Lt D. Stevens 5 down
2/Lt D. Bunting 5 down
Capt. B. J. Broderick 5 down
Major E. O'Dwyer 6 down
Capt. M. Jenkins 6 down
Capt. D. Peel-Yates 7 down

The next monthly meeting will be on Wednesday July 4.



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ALL SET FOR BIG RACE



Creole, world's biggest sailing yacht, will compete next month in the training-ship race from Torbay, England, to Lisbon. Owner is shipping magnate Stavros Niarchos. A possible competitor is the windjammer Pamir, at present undergoing repairs in Hamburg, Germany.

RUSSIANS WANT A SOVIET RACING CAR; HOMEMADE MODELS ARE NO SUBSTITUTE

A young Russian who loves the scream of tortured tyres and the smell of hot engine oil has to build his own machine if he wants to start motor-racing because the Soviet Union does not go in for racing cars.

And this, say three Soviet motor-racing experts, is a crying shame. They described the state of Soviet motor-racing as "unenviable."

The three men, A. Sabinin, G. Solovoyov and I. Friedland, are all racing judges "of an all-Union category." They expressed their indignation in a letter to the somewhat "highbrow" newspaper "Literary Gazette."

The letter was headed "About a Soviet 'Firebird,'" a reference to an experimental gas-turbine car built by the American firm General Motors which the three judges said had exceeded 500 kilometres (about 300 miles) an hour.

This car was one example of foreign progress in building racing and sports cars held up to the Soviet automobile industry. Another was the small capacity British "Cooper" racing car.

"Let us recall," the letter said, "that abroad the building of racing cars is an essential part in the work of experimental departments in big automobile factories."

RACING MODELS
"And this is fully understandable. The great majority of constructional modifications in cars are introduced usually after being well proved in racing models."

But, the three men complained, "our automobile industry refuses to take this well-tried road. And the result is that Soviet racing enthusiasts, living in one of the world's most technically advanced countries, are compelled to make home-made cars."

The letter described how cars, almost always "hotted up" versions of the only four production models which Russia produces, find their way on to the race track.

"As a rule the races are held between several dozen cars designed for the ordinary transport needs of various institutions. After prolonged and insistent demands, the drivers get permission a few days before the contests to make certain constructional modifications."

The three men declared emphatically: "Our motor industry must at last undertake the production of sports and racing cars."

Only if this was done "can the Soviet Union enter the international arena in this kind of sport and take part in international motor-racing competitions."

OTHER PROBLEMS
Among other problems which arose in this connection was that of a race-track, the letter said.

"In our country there is still no race-track where high-speed contests can be held in complete safety."

The letter was one of a series of grumbles about Soviet motor-racing which have appeared in the Soviet press for some time. About a year ago the sports journal "Soviet Sport" called for the production of "racing

WHY DORANDO WAS DISQUALIFIED

AFTER 48 YEARS COMES THE END TO A LONG AND HEATED ARGUMENT

London, June 12.

One of the most heated arguments in the history of sports which has lasted nearly half a century, came to an end today with the revelation that Italy's Pietro Dorando was doped for the 1908 Olympic Marathon held in London.

In that Marathon, the small bald-headed Italian held the lead until he fell just short of the tape from exhaustion. In a desperate effort he got up only to fall several times before crossing the line first, but it was alleged that he had been assisted by track officials.

Dorando finished in two hours, 54 minutes and 46.4 seconds, but an objection by American officials was upheld and Dorando was disqualified. America's J. J. Hayes was declared the winner in 2 hours, 58 minutes. Dorando was taken off the course on a stretcher and lay between life and death for two and a half hours.

As a token of her gracious sympathy with the courage she had watched, Queen Alexandra presented Dorando with a gold cup. This kindly and generous action was said at the time to have contributed largely to Dorando's quick recovery.

But today, 48 years later, the British track official who helped

Dorando, the late J. M. Andrew, revealed in his memoirs, published on the occasion of the annual Windsor to London Marathon that it was he who had not intervened during the last few yards of Dorando's effort, the Italian would have died.

LONG SILENCE

All his life Andrew refused to say why he helped Dorando, but in his memoirs recently found by his daughter, Miss Hilma Andrew, the official wrote:

"The medical attendant, Dr. Bulger, and myself entered the track at the White City together just in front of the leader. As Dorando reached the track he staggered and, after a few yards, fell. I kept would-be helpers at bay, but Dr. Bulger went to his assistance. I warned him this would entail disqualification, but he replied that although I was in charge of the race, I must obey him."

"Each time Dorando fell I had to hold his legs while the doctor massaged him to keep his heart beating. Each time he rose we kept our hands in position behind (not touching him) to prevent him falling on his head, and as he reached the tape, he fell back on our arms. Dr. Bulger told me that only his attention, both on the track

and in the dressing room, saved Dorando's life.

"One of my cycling stewards saw him take the dope on the far side of Wormwood Scrubs."

"Lord Desborough (the referee), on receiving the objection from the Americans, asked for my opinion and I simply said: 'Disqualified.' — France-Press.

Vienna Declines To Stage World Speedway Racing

Oslo, June 12.

Vienna has declined to stage the European (Continental) finals of the World Speedway Racing Championships because of recent accidents on Austrian tracks, it was announced today.

The decision was made, known at the executive committee meeting of the International Motorcycling Federation (FIM).

A Polish speedway rider was killed and another seriously injured in a recent international meeting in Vienna. An alternative venue has not yet been arranged.—China Mail Special.

MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL

Monte Irvin Drives In Four Runs As Cubs Beat Giants 8-5

New York, June 12.

Monte Irvin drove in four runs with a homer and a double and scored the winning run himself on Al Dark's sixth inning error today to lead the Chicago Cubs to an 8-5 decision over the New York Giants.

It was the Cubs' ninth win in the last 12 games, their first over New York in five games this season, and the result lifted Chicago to sixth place in the National League race, a half-game ahead of the Giants.

Al Worthington, the Giants' starting pitcher, held the Cubs hitless for three innings and New York gained a three-run lead on consecutive singles by Whitely Locumman, Doris Mueller and Willie Mays for two runs in the first and Foster Castlemans' fifth homer in the fourth.

Lee Foyda got the Cubs' first hit with one out in the fourth and after Ernie Banks struck out, Walt Moryn also singled. Irvin knocked the ball out of the park to tie the score. It was his sixth homer this year and his first hit in 14 times at bat against his former teammates.

WINNING RALLY

The Giants went ahead again on singles by Mueller and Mays, ahead of Bobby Hoffman's third single in the sixth, but Foyda made the Cubs' winning rally with a single and scored again on Banks' triple. Irvin doubled to score Banks and came home himself when Peter Whisenand's grounder bounced off Dark's shoe into left field.

Chicago got two insurance runs in the seventh, both unearned, on two New York errors, a sacrifice, a walk and a single by Moryn, the Cubs' seventh hit of the game.

Paul Minner pitched six and two-thirds innings for the Cubs

for his second win against five losses, with Turk Lown preserving the triumph, while John McCall, Hoyt Wilhelm and Steve Rickard also worked for the Giants.

All other Major League Games were at night. In the National, Brooklyn was at St. Louis, Pittsburgh at Cincinnati and Philadelphia at Milwaukee.—United Press.

KUTS OUTRUNS NIELSEN OVER 3000 METRES

Copenhagen, June 12.

Vladimir Kuts, Russia's leading distance runner, easily beat the Danish Olympic hero, Gunnar Nielsen, in a 3,000 metres race at the international athletics meeting here tonight.

On a slow track, Kuts clocked 8 mins. 3 secs. compared with Nielsen's 8 mins. 12.6 secs., which was, however, a new Danish record. Previous best for Denmark was 8 mins. 14 secs.

A crowd of 15,000—a record for athletics in Denmark—watched the meeting, in which athletes from the Soviet Union, West Germany, Sweden and Denmark competed.—Reuter.

Sports Diary

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Tennis
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A lad from Glasgow's Gorbals takes a high place on our list of Tigers of Sport. As a World Champion Benny Lynch earned that. His great fights with Montana and Kane underlined his magnificence in the square ring. Even his later indiscretions cannot blot a record of copybook boxing and fearless fighting.

A GIANT—INSIDE THE RING

By HARRY ANDREW

Stand with a bunch of Scots in any corner of the world and just speak the two words: "Benny Lynch." See how the interest quickens, how the eyes sparkle, how the tales begin to flow.

I doubt if any athlete has ever meant more to a nation than this little chap from Glasgow's Gorbals.

The tolerant remember with pride only that he was the greatest boxer that Scotland has ever known, perhaps the world's greatest at his weight in the history of boxing.

But the righteous also recall that he was an Awful Example of what sudden fame and wealth can do to a young man. For Benny Lynch started boxing at 17, was Champion of Scotland at 19, Champion of the world at 21, Champion still almost three years later and an incurable drunkard by the time he was 25. And at 33 he died, penniless and alone.

But it seems to me that too much is made of the tragedy of Lynch and not enough of his greatness. In the 10 years since he died, his fame has certainly grown no less; but the picture of the real Benny is buried beneath the notoriety that came to him in his later years.

I said last week that all the Tigers of Sport had in common a ruthless will to win, a burning ambition to get to the top and stay there. It is true, too. Except about Benny Lynch. Oh, yes, Benny was a Tiger all right. Make no mistake about that. But only because he loved boxing, loved its atmosphere. Even in his early days, when the road stretched wide before him, he was almost without ambition.

He was a simple, unassuming little man, even after he became Champion of the world. Money was important only to spend or give away, never to save. He had no tricks of showmanship, no desire for ostentatious living.

His wife said of him: "If he had been just a labourer, we would have been happy."

I think that is true.

FLAMING FISTS
Yet it was this same young man whose flaming fists wrote an immortal page into boxing history. His skill brought the world's millions to their feet in howling tribute.

And his wonderful sportsmanship in the ring stands eternally to his credit against those other unhappy episodes outside it.

There was, for instance, that night he fought Small Montana of America at Wembley in defence of his world title—a fight still rated as the fastest ever seen in London. A contest in which Lynch proved beyond all doubt that in addition to being a great FIGHTER, he was the outstanding Flyweight BOXER of his time.

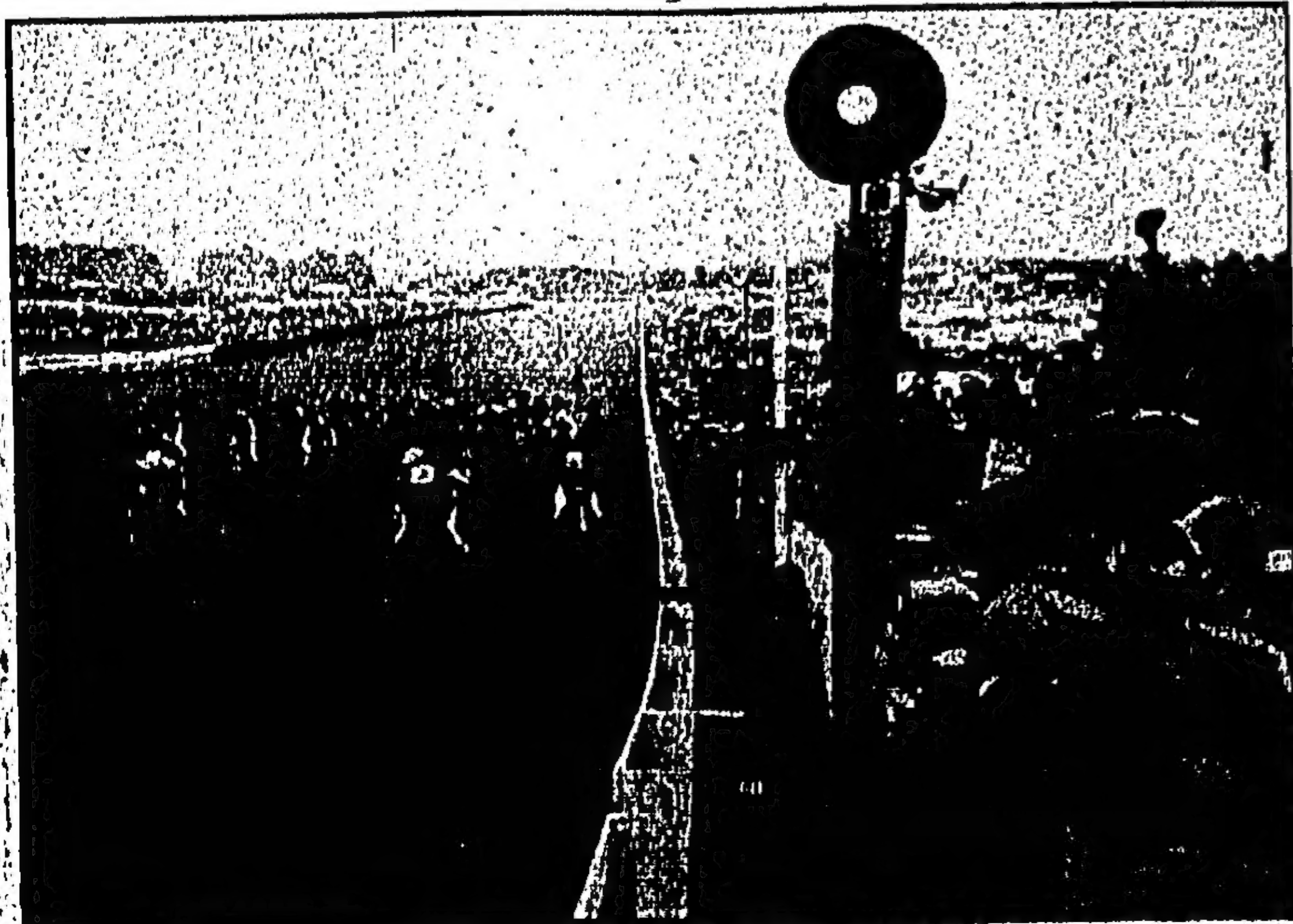
Lynch at that time was at his greatest. But that night he was up against a man almost as good. Round after round he and Small Montana—real name Benjamin Gan—had shared the honours.

As they came up for the last round Lynch was ahead—but the margin in his favour was desperately narrow. And Benny knew it.

Yet twice in that final session the Scot was offered the chance to clinch things. Twice he refused because he was too much of a sportsman to take what he considered an unfair advantage.

First of all, Montana got mixed up with the ropes. He was defenceless for a brief moment. Immediately Benny stepped forward and helped his

NARROW WIN FOR LAVANDIN



The thrilling picture, that shows how narrow the victory of Lavandin, as the French horse, ridden by Rae Johnstone, passes the post to win the 1956 Derby at Epsom, Surrey on June 11.

In second place is another French horse, M. R. Strassburger's Montaval (left, jockey F. Palmer). Lavandin is owned by M. Pierre Wertheimer.

The Irish horse, Rulerstar, owned by Mr. J. McGrath and ridden by J. Eddery, was third.—Ruthephoto.



This week I would like to use the Spot of Honour at the Top of the Sports Parade to pay tribute to the soldier footballers of the Portuguese Army in Macao. I am certain that the typical British term "Tommy Atkins" has a counterpart in the Portuguese language and I hope that our good friends in the neighbouring Colony will read it into the context of this appreciation.

At the week-end the Portuguese soldiers upset the form book and confounded the critics by handing out a very clear-cut beating to a ragged patchwork Army side from Hongkong.

According to all pre-match reports the Macao boys were supposed to be nothing more than a very ordinary side and opinion was divided merely on the number of goals by which they would lose.

Apparently the only ones who did not share this pessimism were the Portuguese players themselves and on a hard bumpy pitch they banged the ball about to such good purpose that they always looked the better team.

With the wind behind them in the first half they failed to find the net, but after the interval when they had a stiff breeze in their faces the home players really applied the pressure.

A long lob from Nunes caught goalkeeper Allen napping and dropped behind his upstretched arms into the net to give Macao an unexpected lead, but a few minutes from the end Mello, a first-class player, took advantage of hesitancy in the Hongkong defence and cracked a hard drive into the net to clinch the game.

ROUGH GROUND
The Portuguese soldiers deserved to win if only because of the fact that they adapted themselves to the conditions must better than their opponents. They realised quickly that the wind and rough ground made delicate football a near impossibility and they made ground by swinging the ball about. Their tactics paid handsome dividends and eventually brought them a well merited victory.

From a Hongkong point of view the result was not nearly as disappointing as the general display of the team.

Unforeseen circumstances necessitated late changes in the team and the line-up which took the field was as follows: Allen, Laycock, Mullett, Robinson, Henderson, Smith, Martin, Bowring.

Although they never reproduced their usual form the defence played well enough in spite of losing two goals which might well have been prevented. The forward line was almost completely devoid of class, strength, and finishing power and the attackers must shoulder most of the blame for this defeat. Martin missed several golden opportunities in the first-half. Twice in quick succession he found himself clear of the Macao defence but, with the goal at his mercy, he shot wide of the post on both occasions.

Only Tolfoey, who had a truly grand day, Mullett, and to a lesser degree Robson came out of the game with credit. Allen was badly at fault with the vital first goal; Laycock was often uncertain in the tackle and in his clearing.

Minton, the team skipper, had his poorest outing in a long time and was obviously upset by the difficult playing surface. His now familiar artistry was missing and his flicks and short passes, normally so accurate, seldom found their man.

TOUCHLINE DASHES
Apart from the occasional touchline dashes by Hodge the forward line was never really in the game. Smith, who was taken ill during the first half and was off the field for 15 minutes, could not shake himself clear of the wiles of the opposing defence and one lost count of the times he fell into the off-side trap. Henderson allowed himself to be rattled by the hard tackling of the opposition and with Martin he persisted in trying to play clever football when the conditions were all against it. Bowring who played in the unfamiliar position of outside left had a good first half but faded badly later on, probably from poor service.

Contrary to what has been written elsewhere this game did not decide the custody of the Macao Military Club Cup.

The trophy is decided on goal aggregate over two games played on a home-and-home basis and the second match in the series will be played in Hongkong in the near future.

The traditional hospitality of the military authorities in Macao was once again very much in evidence and the Hongkong party was given very considerable food and every assistance.

His Excellency the Governor of Macao attended the game and

Water polo enthusiasts had to look twice before believing their eyes when the result of the recent game between Army North and Dockyard was published. Many thought that 20-0 must have been a misprint but they soon found on reading the account of the play that there had been no mistake.

I have had no opportunity to check the Colony record books but reliable sources tell me it is the highest score they can recall for many years.

IN GOOD FORM
Army South had a friendly game at the weekend against the Chinese boys in good form and went down by 7 goals to 5.

There will be a real inter-club rivalry about the Victoria Pool tomorrow evening when Army South tackle Royal Navy at 5 p.m. and Army North play the Royal Air Force half an hour later.

Both games should provide good sporting entertainment and the winner pool enthusiasts would be well rewarded for the effort of making the trip to Victoria Pool.

There is apparently no such thing as "out-of-season" as far as the British soldier is concerned and certainly it seems that all Hongkong's hot and humid days are enjoyed by our military sportsmen.

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Britain's Film Industry Experiments With New Ideas On The Screen

By STEPHEN WATTS

An art must experiment to survive, and this truth applies even to an art which has become industrialised, as films have. Yet remarkably little work is done in films which can fairly be described as experimental. The reason is mainly financial; the big picture made for the big audience monopolises the market.

It is greatly to the credit of Britain's film industry, therefore, that even a small sum of money is being siphoned off from its commercial earnings to make possible the production of experimental films, and the first fruits of this enlightened policy have begun to attract attention in London.

The British Film Institute set up a committee some time ago to administer a £2,000 grant "to encourage new and original talent and ideas in film-making" and so far nine films have been sponsored and even completed.

Recently two of these, together with an independently-backed experimental film, were shown at the National Film Theatre in London and drew from the critics the opinion that the venture shows promise.

One went so far as to describe this programme as "the most exciting contribution to the art of the cinema" since the arrival of the documentary film.

But these films are not really, in the accepted sense, documentary. The three samples were shown under the general title of "Free Cinema," meaning that the makers were free of commercial influences and motivated by "a belief in freedom, in the importance of people, and in the significance of the everyday." Clearly the spirit underlying these films is

realist, and therefore has something in common with the immediate post-war school of Italian film-making, but this comparison should not be taken too far. There is nothing imitative here, and, anyhow, nothing so ambitious as a full-length "story" film has yet been attempted.

The two Institute-sponsored films so far seen, "Together" and "Mamma Don't Allow," have in common a desire to bring to screen some aspect of contemporary life as naturally as possible, yet given an individual interpretation—in both cases selectively poetic and dogmatically non-romantic.

It is significant that they also have in common an implicit criticism. Thus in "Together" the director, Lorenzo Mazzetti, a young Italian now living in London, presents two deaf-mutes with an unrelenting compassion for their plight which also indicates the failure of normal people to understand; in children this emerges as thoughtless cruelty.

SIMPLE THEME
"Mamma Don't Allow" is simpler; the two directors, Karel Reisz and Tony Richardson, evidently do not admire the Jazz Club evening they depict, but they do an honest job of depicting it in the round and they avoid the freaks of behaviour (no doubt available to them) which would have made their comment for them.

Included in both films is the effort to remain "uninvolved" has caused a certain bleakness which somewhat detracts from their effectiveness.

At this early stage, it is the general approach of the experimental film-makers rather than the detailed result which is interesting and significant. The creators of these two films are neither social reformers nor merely social reporters. Society, how people live and behave together, is their subject, and it is probably not fair to go further than to say that they are, in visual terms, uttering a protest.

This theme of "protest" is even more clearly marked in "O Dreamland," the third, and unsponsored, film in the programme. Lindsay Anderson, who directed it, explores a seaside fairground. The film was shot from life, and totally "un-acted," which makes his studies of the fairground public almost as terrifying as the side shows which attract their custom.

"Protest" is perhaps too mild a word for Mr Anderson's 40-minute film; the London "Times" described it as "a healthy, hearty roar of disgust and disapproval." But his whole attitude epitomises the

work, intended to assault the senses and the conscience (and succeeding), is "Short Vision" an eight-minute compilation of moving cut-outs and animated drawings which, in effect, shows the arrival of the final catastrophe, missile and the disintegration of everything.

It may be wondered at what point these experiments are going to have any impact on the larger world of the cinema. The only clue so far is in the case of a study of the water colours of Thomas Rowlandson in which John Hawkesworth, hitherto known as an art director, has sought to convey the spirit of early 19th century England. This was shown at the Royal Film Performance, last November, and as a result of the impression then made, seems likely to be the first "art film" to have large-scale commercial release.

But the more important, if less immediate, question is whether the experimental activity will have any effect on normal, commercial film-making. Who knows? As the repertoire of experiments grows, and the experimenters gain confidence, the breath of freedom may penetrate far. At least such films will tend to remind directors and producers too long and too closely harnessed to the stereotypical that the film can be an artist's medium, and that there is a public quite surprisingly responsive to the unconventional.

By his studio standards, experimental film-making is attractively cheap. After all, the three films in the "Free Cinema" programme cost no more than an average newarcel.

Famous Sports Stars I Have Met

By ARCHIE QUICK

Twenty-five years ago the Australian cricketers were in England under the majestic captaincy of Warwick Armstrong, a towering warrior, who, nevertheless, knew his cricket. The opening Test of the tour was played, as usual, at Nottingham, and probably the finest touring side that has ever visited Britain started its triumphant summer with a ten wickets victory.

Where are the heroes who played in that match now that another Test is being fought at Trent Bridge? Armstrong, Bardsley, Carter and McDonald are dead; Collins, Macartney, Taylor, Gregory, Fellow, Andrews and Hendry survive in Australia. Not one of them is in Britain for the trip this summer.

Of the England team, Ernest Tyldesley, J. W. H. T. Douglas and Harry Howell are dead; Donald Knight, Percy Holmes, Percy Hendren, Frank Woolley, Valentine Jupp, Wilfred Rhodes, Herbert Stradbroke and Len Richmond are still with us.

What are the eight English survivors doing? Two of them are County Club scorers—Hendren with Middlesex and Stradbroke with Surrey. Knight is a schoolmaster in London at Dulwich School. Frank Woolley leads a quiet, retired life at his native Tonbridge, playing occasional golf. Jupp is a business man in Northampton.

Holmes coaches under the direction of the Yorkshire Club. Richmond is a publican (set outside Nottingham) and a spare time cricket coach. Rhodes, also, like his great contemporary Philip Mendis, is near to being totally blind. He is living in Staffordshire and has recently been in hospital.

ALL IN VAIN
Thus only Hendren and Stradbroke of the 22 are still actively concerned with the county game. Yet in the succeeding four Tests at Lords, Leeds, Manchester and the Oval, England was to call upon another eighteen players—Tennyson, Brown, Parkin, Russell, Mead, Dipper, Ducot, Durston, Evans, Fender, Haig, Hallows, Hardinge, Hearne, Hilditch, Sandham and White—in an attempt to stop the Australian Steam-roller. All in vain; the visitors, calling upon only 13 players—the additions were Malley and Oldfield—won three of the Tests and the two were drawn.

Arthur Malley is the only one of them in England at the present time, but he is pursuing his profession as a sports journalist and cartoonist. And a very good one, too.

Stradbroke, one of the great men of a quarter of a century ago, had tragic doings—Douglas was drowned, McDonald killed in a car accident and Howell committed suicide.



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